

Our Daily Bread
Sliced Thin by The Editor
Alex. H. Washburn

Hope Trade Report
Tragic Steal Out
by Walsh-Healey Act

The February bulletin of Hope Chamber of Commerce reports: January marketings by Hempstead county broiler houses totaled 25,000 birds, worth \$20,000.

The county's 38 Grade A dairies last month grossed \$30,311.

Postal receipts for January were down slightly in comparison to January 1952, the figure being \$6,228 against \$6,644 for a year ago.

But all the local utilities showed new highs for total connections in January. Light meters stood at 3,643 against 3,577 for a year ago. Gas connections were up, 2,909 compared to 2,854; as were telephones, 2,558 against 2,534.

The bulletin announced that the chamber's annual membership meeting will be held Monday night, March 23, with the speaker William J. Bird, manager of the Southwestern Division of the U. S. Chamber of Commerce. He was chosen by a committee of three: Guy E. Basye, Robert M. LaGrone, Jr., and J. I. Lieblong. In charge of arrangements for the banquet are: Jim LaGrassa, E. J. Whitman, and Sylvie Burke.

One of the last acts of Secretary of Labor Tobin before going out of office with the Truman administration was to issue an order increasing the minimum wage required to be paid on government clothing contracts to \$1 an hour.

The order was attacked in federal court this week by 70 cotton and rayon mill managers.

Everyone knows that the minimum pay for plants covered by federal wage and hour regulations is 75 cents an hour. But there is a curious piece of legislation known as the Walsh-Healey Act which permits the Department of Labor to require a higher minimum rate, as it desires, when the taxpayers are footing the bill rather than private purchasers. This bonus-minimum for government contracts was originally set at 87 cents an hour, 12 cents over the private-business schedule — and then Secretary Tobin, bowing out with a defeated government, raised it another 13 cents to \$1.

The mill managers, now permitted to go into court since the Defense Production Act was amended last summer to make minimum-wage rulings reviewable before a judge, claim that Tobin's order was illegal because, (1) The Walsh-Healey Act says wage levels must be set locally, not coast-to-coast as he ordered, and (2) The act applies only to textile products "not usually bought in the open market," but Tobin sought to make it cover all textiles purchased by the government.

The rest of us aren't concerned with the technicalities of this lawsuit — but we are concerned with the fraud perpetrated against the taxpayers when congress passed that Walsh-Healey Act in the first place.

It makes one price for labor working on a garment to be sold competitively to private citizens, but an entirely different price when the same garment is to be sold to the federal government — paid for not with citizens' earnings but with the taxes the government has seized from them.

Practically all of these government purchases, of course, are for the armed services. The facts form an ugly picture — a picture of politicians bartering for election votes with slush funds tacked onto the cost of our military budget.

It didn't help politically, at that. Tobin and the rest of his gang have been kicked out of Washington. Not even the humble rank and file of workers who were told that "something special" was being done for them under the Walsh-Healey Act could stomach the thought when last November's election rolled around. Some of the greatest voting upsets occurred in the very textile districts which Tobin cynically believed he had "fixed."

Repeat the Walsh-Healey Act — and never again in the history of our country give any bureaucrat the right to play politics with the shirt that goes on a soldier's back.

Fulton Airman Is Reassigned

TINKER-AF BASE, Okla. — Airman First Class James H. Cox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Cox of Fulton, Ark., has recently been assigned to the 3d AACS Squadron Mobile. His wife, the former Juliette Daniels of Shreveport, La., is residing at 918 Jefferson Place, Shreveport.

A/C Cox graduated from Fulton High School in 1945 and entered the Air Force in August 1950. He attended the Radar School at Keesler AF Base, Mississippi and served overseas in the Philippine Islands prior to reporting to Tinker AF Base where he is presently performing duty as a radar mechanic in the world-wide Airways and Air Communications Service.

Zinc was known as a component of brass long before its existence as an individual metal was sus-

Van Fleet Witness in Korean Probe

By JOHN L. STEELE
WASHINGTON (UP) — Two Senate committees today called on Gen. James A. Van Fleet to spell out his ideas for cracking the Korean military deadlock by a new United Nations offensive.

The Senate Armed Services and Foreign Relations committees summoned the retiring 8th Army commander in which shaped up as the biggest congressional Korean war investigation since the 1951 hearings into Gen. Douglas MacArthur's dismissal.

Van Fleet faced questioning on his statement that the 8th Army with its present manpower and material is capable of mounting a major offensive that could break the present military deadlock along the 155-mile fighting front.

Against this view, senators weighed a warning from Gen. Omar N. Bradley, chairman of the joint chiefs of staff, that an end-the-war offensive in Korea would require a vast step-up in American mobilization, and could be undertaken only at the cost of heavy casualties, and the risk of a bigger war.

Sen. Homer Ferguson (R-Mich.) said in Kalamazoo, Mich., that he is calling Van Fleet for testimony on March 6 before his Senate Foreign Relations subcommittee. Sen. E. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) said his Relations subcommittee. Sen. E. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) said his Relations subcommittee. Sen. E. Alexander Smith (R-N.J.) said his Relations subcommittee.

Simultaneously, Armed Services, Chairman Leverett Saltonstall (R-Mass.) announced that Van Fleet would appear before his committee as soon as possible to testify on the probable costs and results of an early, major drive against the Communists.

(Van Fleet left Tokyo at 8:05 p.m. (3:05 a.m. EST) today for Honolulu on his way to the United States. He was flying in Gen. Mark Clark's personal constellations.)

As the spotlight in the Senate debate swung from the merits of a Red China blockade to the Van Fleet proposals, the administration was reported considering two new major moves to break the Korean stalemate.

One plan calls for an urgent appeal to all non-Communist members of the United Nations to step up their manpower, equipment and supply contributions to the war effort.

To Decontrol Eggs, Butter, Milk Prices

By WARREN ROGERS JR.
WASHINGTON (UP) — Market basket items like milk, butter and eggs were marked for price decontrol this week amid signs that emergency power to restore economic curbs might be kept.

A top official said a final decision will be made today on a long list of goods tentatively tabbed for removal from price ceilings by Friday or Saturday.

The list makes up 15 per cent of consumer goods in the cost of living index package, he said, and would leave less than that percentage still under control. It includes such things as:

Milk, butter, cheese, poultry eggs, oleomargarine, cleansers, soap, lard and other shortening; rubber and rubber products; lead tin, zinc and scrap; pet foods; paper and paper products.

Controls would remain, at least for the time being, on such important items as machinery, most automobiles and scarce metals. But many of these do not have a direct paper plates and newspaper.

The exemption of paper products would cover waxed and treated papers plates and newspaper.

Work on the list began after price officials met with James F. Brownlee, New York investment broker named to help Defense Mobilization Arthur Flemming and controls, and, at the same time, continue the program to produce scarce materials for defense.

In an interview, Brownlee lent weight to the idea that the Eisenhower administration will stick to a step-by-step erosion of price controls. A one-stroke sudden death had been urged in some quarters.

Brownlee spoke of a fast but gradual wiping out of ceilings. He said the job should be finished by mid-April, if not earlier. The controls law expires April 30.

Brownlee, who was deputy price administrator in World War II, said he favors keeping a standby authority to reimpose controls should an emergency arise. He indicated his job will include helping plan such a program.



MARDI GRAS OPENS — Fabulous Mardi Gras opens in New Orleans as women's organization called "Orion" holds first night parade by torch light. One of the elaborate floats is passing ancient New Orleans City Hall, where paraders were reviewed by Mayor and socialites. — NEA Telephoto.

Chiang Says Invasion Can Be Made When He Chooses Minus UN Nod But Not Anytime Soon

(Editor's Note: President Eisenhower's order making it possible to unleash the army of Nationalist China for raids against the Chinese Communists has altered the entire strategic picture in the Far East. Here is an interview with Chiang Kai-shek, generalissimo of Nationalist China, giving his views on what can and will be done in view of the new status of his forces on the island of Formosa. It was obtained in response to questions sent to Chiang by Frank H. Bartholomew, United Press vice president in charge of the Pacific area.)

By FRANK H. BARTHOLOMEW
SAN FRANCISCO (UP) — Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek said in a wireless interview today that his forces can invade Red China whenever they choose, without sanction of the United Nations and with no fear of Russian intervention. But he does not believe he is adequately prepared for such an invasion now.

The Nationalist leader answered nine questions which I put to him after President Eisenhower's Continued on Page Six

Senate Okays Construction of Toll Bridge

By CARL BELL
LITTLE ROCK (UP) — A new and so far, non-controversial provision for construction of toll bridges in Arkansas is halfway over the legislative hurdle.

The Senate passed, 80-0, yesterday a bill to authorize the State Highway Commission to issue revenue bonds for construction of toll bridges and ferries. The Commission would fix tolls, which would be used to pay off the bonds, maintain and operate the bridge or ferry.

This measure, on which there Continued on Page Five

Named to Park Commission

The name of Albert Graves will be submitted to the council next Tuesday night for approval as a member of the newly created Parks and Recreation Commission.

Mr. Graves is the fifth member to be named by Mayor John L. Wilson who, on next Tuesday night, will also submit the names of Mike Kelly, Mrs. Dick Watkins, Fred Gresham and J. I. Lieblong for approval by the council.

Major Wilson, in announcing acceptance by Mr. Graves, said: "We are pleased to have a man of his experience in city affairs to serve on the Parks and Recreation Commission. He will add much to help insure the success of this program."

Part of the proposed commission met last night in the mayor's office and discussion of the budget together with other matters of finance was held. Mrs. Dick Watkins was elected as temporary secretary pending the selection of a regular Recreation Director when and if the budget is approved by the council. It is anticipated that the budget will be submitted to the council at its second meeting in March.

Tentative plans last night were made relative to the appointment of a liaison committee of two persons from the Hope Civic Improvement Association to co-ordinate with the city government in the development of a park area.

Ike Refuses to Spare Doomed Atomic Spies

By DONALD SANDERS
WASHINGTON (UP) — President Eisenhower has refused to spare the lives of the Rosenbergs, whose controversial death sentences for atomic spying he termed "just punishment for a crime which could very well result in the death of many, many thousands of innocent citizens."

A New York attorney for the husband and wife, Emanuel Bloch, said he would carry a new appeal to the Supreme Court, which on two previous occasions has refused to review the case. The court almost never changes its mind in such circumstances.

The Rosenbergs — Julius, 34, and Ethel, 38 — received the word that the President had turned down their appeal in the death cell block at New York's Sing Sing Prison. They had no comment. They have Continued on Page Six

Raps Ike for Not Saving Rosenbergs

NEW YORK (UP) — A citizens committee said today President Eisenhower's refusal to commute the death sentence of the Rosenbergs "disregards the expressed and unmistakable sentiment for clemency" among millions of Americans.

The "National Committee to Secure Justice in the Rosenberg Case," which describes itself as a group including people of all political affiliations and religious faiths, said:

"Patriotism and mercy motivate the nationwide appeal for clemency. Neither in our eyes nor in the eyes of the peoples of the world do we want our government to stand barefaced of fairness."

The President's decision, the committee said, "will put to death two Americans about whose very guilt eminent lawyers and jurists have raised grave doubts. Such a decision will seriously damage the good will which our government seeks to gain in its relation with the rest of the world."

Call Girl Says She Was Raped at 16

NEW YORK (UP) — Pat Ward, 19-year-old star prosecution witness in the vice trial of Minot (Mickey) Jelke, says she became a mother at the age of 17 as a result of being raped.

The copper-haired call girl was cross-examined for the first time yesterday during her three days of testimony against the man who reportedly flitted her for another woman.

Jelke, 23, heir to an oleomargarine fortune, has been accused of inducing Miss Ward and two other young women to become high-priced prostitutes and of living off the earnings of Miss Ward.

With the press and public barred from hearing prosecution testimony by order of General Sessions Judge Francis L. Valente, newsmen must rely on questioning attorneys in the corridors.

Jelke's chief counsel, Samuel Continued on Page Six

An Old Bachelor Asserts a Woman Can Weather Just About Anything But Flattery

By HAL BOYLE
NEW YORK (UP) — Ladies, do you feel doomed? Is the female of the human species on the way out?

This fascinating possibility of a womanless world is no mere schaum dream puffed up by a mere grumpy old male.

The average man today may have his grudges against the unfair sex. But his attitude toward women is pretty much that of a sportsman toward racehorses: He would like to improve the breed — not abolish it.

Are such efforts to achieve a better woman too late? A pioneer lady commentator apparently believes it is.

"Women, who have brought this fate on themselves, are on the way out. Like other biological caprices of the past," wrote Inez Robb, noted writer of the feminist movement's leading stateswoman.

"We women are simply terrible. Not worth a fraction of the time and reform efforts lavished upon the bygone species of the male."

Discharged Jury Claims Action Serious Blow to Reputation of Courts

Charges Untrue Says Highway Waste Probers

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — A Pulaski County Grand Jury that was suddenly discharged Tuesday while investigating the state Highway Department said today that "the reputation of our courts and our judiciary have been struck a blow from which they cannot soon recover."

The jury was discharged by Circuit Judge Harry C. Robinson. He charged that a fund of between \$5,500 and \$6,000 was "raised by someone to be used to assist in the investigation" by the jury.

Robinson also said that a juror had told him before witnesses were called that indictments would be returned.

For the past five months, the jury has been investigating charges made by the Highway Audit Commission that it found "waste and extravagance" in the Highway Department under the Administration of former Gov. McMahon.

The jury, which in a body delivered the statement to the Arkansas Democrat this morning, said "We cannot avoid the conclusion that our sister states must regard us as hamstringing by politics."

The statement declared: "Judge Robinson's action in discharging the Pulaski County Grand Jury was intolerable, we feel, and was wholly unsupported by fact as he asserted them."

"If there was ever created any fund, to which Judge Robinson referred, it was without knowledge of it."

The jury's term expires Feb. 28 and its statement today did not make any mention of proposed action against the dismissal.

House Suddenly Changes Mind Recalls Approved Installment Buying Bill From Senate

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — The House today called back from the Senate a bill to regulate installment buying which the House had passed Tuesday.

It was the second effort to get the measure, denounced by its opponents as "a loan shark bill," back for reconsideration.

An effort yesterday afternoon failed but a renewed attempt this morning succeeded, 40-31.

The move for reconsideration was led by Rep. Clayton Little, of Benton County who told the House that "every once in a while my conscience kicks me."

Little, a freshman representative, said that shortly after he had voted for the bill Tuesday he realized, "I had made a mistake."

"This bill goes to great length to set out that it is not an attempt to evade the usury regulation," Little said.

Little added, "It's just like a man who wants to tell you how honest he is, you'd better watch out for him."

Opponents of the measure have declared repeatedly that it is an attempt to evade constitutional Continued on Page Six

Snoddy Quits as Cherry's Secretary

LITTLE ROCK (UP) — Jim Snoddy, Gov. Philip Cherry's executive secretary, resigned today effective immediately.

In his letter of resignation, Snoddy said the step was being taken because of recent developments in connection with his automobile business at Alma. Snoddy said these developments make it necessary that he resume his business operations immediately.

Replying to Snoddy's resignation, Cherry expressed his confidence in his executive secretary and in his knowledge of state affairs.

"I regret to lose your services," Cherry said.

Previously, there had been unconfirmed reports that Snoddy wanted more authority delegated to him in connection with the governor's legislative program. Cherry emphasized today, however, that there had been no friction between himself and Snoddy.

"I am grateful that you realize my position, and have accepted it in spite of any inconvenience it may cause you," Snoddy's letter said. "Although the General Assembly is still in session, your legislative program is well underway. You have the interest of the people of the state at heart, and I know you have a successful administration."

Cherry's reply: "This says to you formally what I have said to you personally. In spite of personal inconvenience caused by your resignation, I do not think you should be called on to make a sacrifice which will be necessary if you continue to act as my executive secretary."

"I selected you to be my executive secretary because of my great confidence in you and your knowledge of state affairs, and I regret to lose your services," Cherry did not indicate who Snoddy's successor would be.

Terryland Is Given Permit to Sell Here

Dr. Herbert Rogers, city health inspector, today announced that a permit had been issued to Terryland Dairy Company of Little Rock to sell milk in Hope.

Dr. Rogers inspected the Terryland plant and produced 2,000 gallons in a day long test, giving the firm the go-ahead signal.

The company plans to start selling here within a few days. As soon as the permit is issued, the company will sell wholesale.

Frazier Named Fraternity Officer

AUSTIN, Tex. — George T. Frazier of Hope, Ark., has been elected secretary of Delta Sigma Phi, professional commerce and business administration fraternity at the University of Texas.

A junior in college, Frazier has been a member of this organization since his freshman year.

J. W. Rhodes, 82, Dies Near Brecon

J. W. Rhodes, 82, a resident of Brecon, Ark., died Wednesday morning at his home.

Mr. Rhodes was born in Brecon, Ark., and had lived there for many years. He was a member of the Brecon Baptist Church and the Brecon Grange.

Bill Would Make Truckers Buy State License

By LEON HATCH
LITTLE ROCK (UP) — The House Revenue and Taxation Committee last night recommended passage of a bill which opponents charged would mean the end of Arkansas reciprocal truck license agreements with other states.

The bill would give non-resident truck operators the option of buying an Arkansas license or paying fees based on gross loaded weight of each vehicle and the number of miles it operates in Arkansas.

House Roads and Highways Committee A recommended passage of an administration-sponsored bill to fix dimensions and maximum loaded weights of trucks and vans operated on Arkansas highways.

Sen. Artie Gregory of Little Rock, a trucker, said the Arkansas Truck and Truck Association would oppose the bill, which sets maximum weight at 68,000 pounds exclusive of the front axle load.

The two recommendations allowed a double-barreled public hearing, which drew a large attendance.

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Russell Porter Takes Post on Alaska Paper

Russell T. Porter, son of F. A. Porter, 808 E. 2d st., left today to take a newspaper position in Fairbanks, Alaska.

Mr. Porter, graduate of the University of Oklahoma in 1950, has been for the last two and a half years an advertising salesman for the El Reno (Okla.) Daily Tribune. He will take the same post with Jossens's Weekly in Fairbanks, a paper with territory-wide circulation.

Leaving here early Thursday, Porter will catch an airplane to Oklahoma City Thursday night, the flight west.

He started newspaper work as a carrier for Hope Star and as a mailer for this newspaper while in Hope High school. Between high school and college he served with the infantry in the Philippines and Japan.

Fairbanks, he said, is a city of 20,000 population centrally located in Alaska, on the Tanana river with a summer temperature around 70° and a winter low of about 10°. It has doubled in population the last two years. One of the Air Force bases is located near Fairbanks.

Brookwood Plans Valentine Party Friday p. m.

A Valentine Party at Brookwood School Friday afternoon will be climaxed with the crowning of king and queen. Candidates are: King, Grade 6, Shirley Ann Lamb; Queen, Grade 6, Catherine Hoffman.

Second Grade: Jennifer C. C. Fuller, Jan. Ellis and D. D. McFarland.

Third Grade: Betty Jordan, Mary Wright, and Mary Ann Moore. And, Grade 4, Kay Downing and Shirley Ann Lamb.

Fourth Grade: Jennifer C. C. Fuller, Jan. Ellis and D. D. McFarland.

Fifth Grade: Betty Jordan, Mary Wright, and Mary Ann Moore. And, Grade 6, Kay Downing and Shirley Ann Lamb.

Sixth Grade: Jennifer C. C. Fuller, Jan. Ellis and D. D. McFarland.

Seventh Grade: Betty Jordan, Mary Wright, and Mary Ann Moore. And, Grade 8, Kay Downing and Shirley Ann Lamb.

Eighth Grade: Jennifer C. C. Fuller, Jan. Ellis and D. D. McFarland.

Ninth Grade: Betty Jordan, Mary Wright, and Mary Ann Moore. And, Grade 10, Kay Downing and Shirley Ann Lamb.

PRESCOTT NEWS

Polio Hysteria Fused
 at Bristol Showers.
 Miss Polly Harris, fiancée of
 Fred Britt, was feted with a mis-
 tle shower given by Mrs.
 and Lyman at her home on Mon-
 day evening.

A variety of spring flowers in
 beautiful arrangements were placed
 on the vanity points throughout the
 house.

The honoree received a corsage
 from the hostess.
 Social games were conducted by
 Mrs. Tammy Nelson and Mrs. Dan
 Whitaker.

Miss Harris was presented a box
 containing a red and white and
 blue and white and yellow gifts.
 Refreshments in the Van-
 derbilt room were served to forty
 guests.

Widespread Business Meeting
 The monthly business meeting of
 the Board of the First Methodist
 Church was held on Monday after-
 noon at the church with the pres-
 enting Mr. T. V. McMahon, presi-
 dent.

The meeting opened with the
 singing of the hymn "The Lord Is
 Raising Up a Generation" in
 praise of the Lord.

Mrs. Joe A. Bailey gave
 a devotional talk on the Vision
 of Christ based on Matthew 25:31
 and led in prayer.

The minutes were read by the
 secretary, Mrs. O. G. Hiral, and
 reports of committees were heard.
 The meeting adjourned with the
 singing of "What a Friend We Have in
 Jesus" and prayer was offered
 by Mrs. McMahon.

Class Hike Social Meeting
 Mrs. Cox Davis, 88, Class met in
 the home of Mrs. O. G. Hiral Mon-
 day night with Mrs. John A. Davis
 and Mrs. H. E. Davis as coho-
 stesses.

The table was beautifully decorated
 with the Valentine motif. Mrs.
 J. A. Davis gave the devo-
 tional from John 3:16. Mrs. Ar-

thur Turner had charge of the
 games. Several Valentines were
 made during the social hour and
 will be mailed to Arkansas Meth-
 odist Children's Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Gee and
 Mary Ethel of Vicksburg, Miss.,
 are the guests of Mr. and Mrs.
 Ilin Gee and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Whitaker,
 Jr., and son of Minakover were
 the weekend guests of Mrs. S. T.
 Whillo, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Norman
 Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Culcott were
 Sunday guests of Mrs. Annie Hill
 in Hot Springs.

Mrs. Lucille Elgin and Bonnie
 of Texarkana spent the weekend
 with Mr. and Mrs. Theo Elgin.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Duke had
 as their guests Sunday Mr. and
 Mrs. Barney Brumby of Sapulpa,
 Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bee-
 cher of Hot Springs and Mrs. Ches-
 ter Beecher of Waldo.

Mrs. Vivian Gault of Little Rock
 was the weekend guest of her
 mother Mrs. Will Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Crane,
 Gary and Donald were the guests
 Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. W.
 Cleaver in Hope and Mrs. Bert
 Butler in Ozan.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Lee visited
 Mrs. Elmore Jones in Gurdon Sun-
 day.

Hedy Butler, Jr., was the week-
 end guest of Doyle Lowe, Jr., in
 Minden, La.

Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Royston of
 Hope were the guests Sunday of
 Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Hamby.

Mrs. Mottie Robinson, Mr. and

Markets

ST. LOUIS LIVESTOCK

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill.
 Hogs 8,000; active; weights
 100 lbs. up to 65 higher than
 Wednesday's average; lighter
 weights and cubs 25 to 50 higher;
 bulk choice 180-230 lbs. 20.50-21.00;
 latter paid fairly freely for uni-
 form choice Nos. 1 and 2 under
 225 lbs.; 240-270 lbs. mostly 10.75-
 20.25; 280-300 lbs. 10.00-50; 150-170
 lbs. 10.75-20.25; 120-140 lbs. 15.75-
 16.00; sows 400 lbs. down 17.50-18.25;
 heavier sows 15.50-17.25; boars
 12.00-14.50.

Cattle 1,700; calves 700; heifers
 and mixed yearlings strong to 50
 higher with few loads and small
 lots good and choice 21.00-24.00
 cows mostly 50 higher; utility and
 commercial cows 14.50-16.50; few
 utility below 15.00; canners and
 cutters 12.00-15.00; bulls 50 higher;
 utility and commercial 10.50-18.50;
 cutter bulls largely 14.00-16.00;
 vealers steady; good and choice
 27.20-37.00; individual prime to
 41.00 utility to low good vealers
 10.00-20.00.

Sheep 500 trading active most-
 ly steady choice and prime woolled
 lambs largely 22.50-23.50 about 20
 head mostly prime at 24.00; good
 and choice lots 20.00-22.00; few cull
 and utility 15.00-19.00.

POULTRY AND PRODUCE

CHICAGO 100 — Live poultry:
 Steady; receipts 402 coops, P.H.
 paying prices unchanged to a cent
 a pound higher; heavy hens 30-33;
 light hens 23-24; fryers or broilers
 20-31 old roosters 16-20 ducklings
 32.

Mrs. Elwood Robinson Betty Lynn
 and Jennie spent Sunday in Tex-
 arkana as the guests of Mr. and
 Mrs. Denton Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedy Butler had
 as their guests Sunday, Mr. and
 Mrs. S. A. Dillard of Camden.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hale motored
 to El Dorado Sunday for a
 visit with their daughter, Mrs. Bob
 Archer and family.

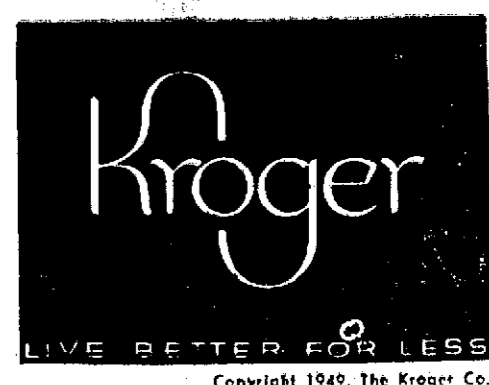
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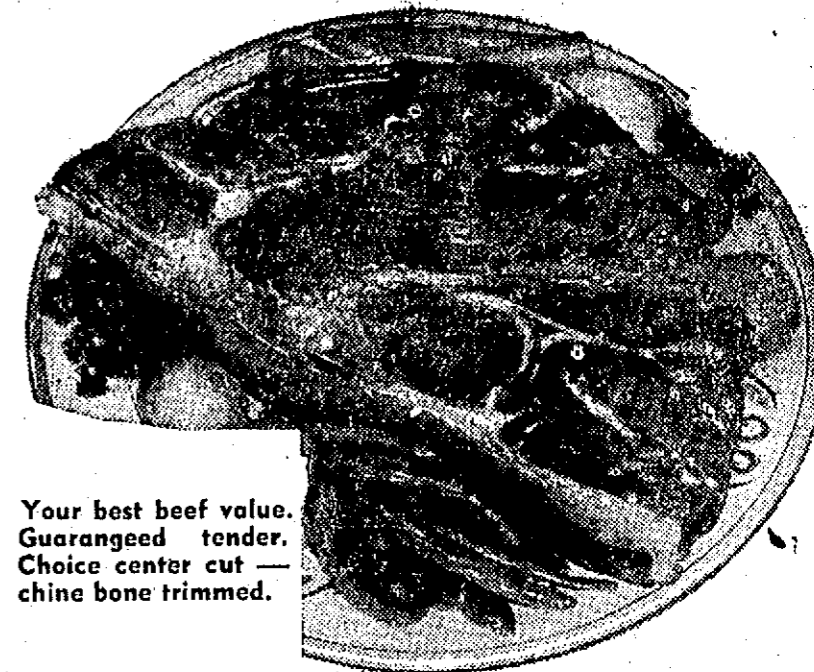
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Your best beef value. Guaranteed tender. Choice center cut — chine bone trimmed.

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Kroger Quality Beef Lb. **29¢**

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Kroger Quality Beef Lb. **79¢**

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Kroger Quality Beef Lb. **65¢**

ARMOUR TREET BEEF STEW CHOPPED HAM

Always keep a supply of this handy canned meat on your pantry shelf.

12 Oz. Can **39¢**

Austex Beef Stew made with choice beef and a variety of vegetables.

15 Oz. Can **35¢**

Armour's Easy to keep and easy to fix economical canned chopped ham.

12 Oz. Can **49¢**

Hypower Hot Tamales

Spicy and Delicious

No. 2 Can **39¢**

CHUM SALMON

Packer's Label, Good Quality, Economical

Tall Can **39¢**

VIENNA SAUSAGE

Armour Star, conveniently packed.

2 4 Oz. Cans **39¢**

MAYONNAISE

Kraft Brand, a rich and creamy dressing.

Pt. **42¢**

BONED CHICKEN

Banquet Brand, cut chicken.

No. 1/2 Can **39¢**

DEVILED HAM

Armour Star, for snacks and lunches.

3 1/4 Oz. Can **18¢**

POTTED MEAT

Armour Star, for a quick handy sandwich.

5 1/2 Oz. Can **15¢**

PORK SAUSAGE

Swift's own ready to fry sausage in the can.

16 Oz. Can **45¢**

Kroger Sauer Kraut

Serve with fresh Arkansas Maid franks.

2 No. 303 Cans **29¢**

CHILI WITH BEANS

Kroger Brand rich and spicy.

16 Oz. Can **29¢**

KROGER CRACKERS

Very thin, in 4 separate packages

Lb. Box **23¢**

LIGHT GLOBES

Westinghouse; for better lighting facilities

75 and 100 Wt. **18¢**

ANGELFOOD CAKE

Kroger Baked Large Size

Each **49¢**

Apple 'N Spice Donuts

Sugar coated.

Doz. **23¢**

WOODBURY SHAMPOO

Regular 50c size

Only **29¢**

IVORY SNOW

Large Size, for your special things

Pkg. **28¢**

IVORY FLAKES

Large size, for clean freshness.

Pkg. **28¢**

LIFEBUOY SOAP

Regular Size Bars

3 For **25¢**

POTATOES

Washed Nebraska Reds in Kraft Bags.

10 Lbs. **49¢**

WINESAP APPLES

Solid, Juicy

2 Lbs. **35¢**

RED RADISHES

Crisp, tender and colorful. Buy several

Bch. **5¢**

GREEN ONIONS

Crisp and tender mild flavor.

Bch. **10¢**

GRAPEFRUIT

Extra large, 46 size Marsh, Seedless

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CAULIFLOWER

Giant heads — solid, firm & nutritious, from Florida

Each **29¢**

POTATOES

Washed Colorado and Nebraska Reds, Extra Select Quality

50 Lb. Bag **\$1.59**



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Calendar

Friday, February 13

The Girl's Auxiliary of the Unity Baptist Church will have their initiation Friday night at 7:30 at the church. The public is invited.

The Camelia Garden Club will meet Friday at 2 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Robert Rider, 507 South Pine, with Mrs. Jim Cole as co-hostess.

Saturday, February 14

Hope Country Club Dance which was scheduled February 10 has been postponed until Valentine's Day, Saturday, February 14, from 8 to 12. Hosts and hostesses will be Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Purvis.

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Monday, February 16
American Legion Auxiliary will meet on Monday, February 16, at 7:30 with Mrs. Harry Hawthorne. Mrs. Mac Duffie will be co-hostess.

Friday, February 20
World Day of Prayer Service will be held in the First Christian Church Friday afternoon, February 20, at 3 o'clock. This observance is an annual program with local women taking part on the program.

Wesleyan Service Guild
Has Meeting February 9
The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church met with Mrs. Roy Stephenson on February 9 at 7:30 p.m. Miss Beryl Henry was associate hostess.

"African Heritage" was the subject of the mission study course presented by Mrs. Elmer Brown. A discussion period followed. Mrs. Stephenson made a report of the Hope District Meeting of Guilds at DeQueen on January 20 and gave the devotional. Mrs. Charles Taylor, president, conducted a business meeting which preceded the program. The hostesses served a dessert plate to 12 members and one guest, Mrs. J. W. Lee.

Lou Demie Junior GA's
Meet at Church Monday
The Lou Demie Junior Girls' Auxiliary met on Monday afternoon for a mission study and pot luck supper with 25 members present.

The next meeting will be held Monday at the First Baptist Church to continue the home mission study, "Americans, too," at which time Jacques Williams will teach.

Mrs. Juanita Sunderman
Hostess to Golden Circle
The Golden Circle Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Juanita Sunderman, Tuesday, February 10, at 7:30. Mrs. Jo Ann Seale gave the devotional. Mrs. Billie Joyce Higginson gave the program on the "Eleven O'Clock Hour." Coffee and Valentine cakes were served to 11 persons.

Mrs. James T. Rowland
Entertained With Tea
Mrs. Claude Wilson recently entertained for the pleasure of Mrs. James T. Rowland, the former Miss Neva Joyce McClellan, with a gift tea in her home at Fulton, Co-hostesses were Mrs. J. I. Lichlong, Hope, Miss Anne Wilson and

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Cherry Silent on Installment Bill

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—Gov. Cherry declined to comment directly on a bill to regulate installment buying which has passed both legislative branches.

He said he would give the bill careful consideration when it reached his desk.

In reply to questions, Cherry said he thought it probably would be a governor's duty to veto a bill if he considered it obviously unconstitutional.

Opponents of the bill have charged that it is an attempt to evade the constitutional prohibition against usury.

The bill would set up a commission to fix charges which might be added to the cash price of merchandise to arrive at a price for payment on time.

Cherry so far has not exercised his veto power.

Yesterday a House group was unsuccessful in an effort to get the bill back from the Senate for reconsideration in the House. It passed the House Tuesday.

Ex-President Still in Hospital

MIAMI BEACH Fla. (AP)—Cool, windy weather kept former President Herbert Hoover in the hospital overnight but he planned to

Mrs. Otis Blackwood.
Mrs. Wilson greeted the guests at the door and introduced them to the receiving line which included Miss Anne Wilson, the honoree, Mrs. S. O. McClellan, Mrs. Charles Rowland, Mrs. Rene Bressinck, and Miss Mary Adele Waddle.

The serving table overlaid with a white Italian cutwork cloth was centered with an arrangement of pink double stock and fern in a silver bowl flanked by pink burning candles in silver candelabra.

In keeping with the color scheme of pink and white the mantel was banked with pink and white Japanese. Pink tapers in silver candelabra were placed on the piano. Arrangements of chrysanthemums decorated the room in which the gifts were displayed.

Mrs. J. J. Battle presided at the silver service and Mrs. H. C. Smith of Texarkana served the cakes. Others dispensing hospitalities were Mrs. Sam McGill, Mrs. T. H. Seymour, Mrs. Otis Blackwood, and Miss Anita Jean Abbott.

50 guests called during the appointed hours of 4 to 6.

Coming and Going

Creighton R. Middlebrooks left February 2 for Lackland Air Force Base, San Antonio, Texas.

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Hospital Notes

leave today for a fishing trip in the Florida Keys.
Hoover, 78, went to the hospital Saturday with a mild case of flu but recovered nicely and was reported "up and around" yesterday.

DOROTHY DIX

Dating Ex-Fiance

Dear Miss Dix: I have been happily married for three years and for the past few months have been meeting my former fiancee for lunch occasionally, and sometimes for cocktails. There is no romance involved, we are more like brother and sister. I haven't told my husband, since he would only quarrel about it, but my parents object strongly to my friendship with the young man. Must marriage break off all ties with old friends, merely because they are of the opposite sex? I consider this man my dearest friend, and I know he feels the same way about me. Perhaps I am bored at home, since we have no children, but I know I would miss this friendship greatly if I had to give it up.

Answer: You are playing with fire, and you know it! Your specious arguments about "brother and sister" feelings fool no one, not even yourself. How would you feel if, some time during one of your platonic luncheon dates, you happened to glance across the restaurant and saw your husband with another girl? Could you treat the situation casually and graciously? I doubt it.

Sneaky Indiscretion

No matter how fine the language in which you clothe your indiscretion, it's sneaky, and no indiscretion will cover the fact. Decent can not be excused on the ground that it's practiced merely to save another's feelings. Your clandestine dates are being concealed from your husband, not only because you wish to avoid a quarrel, but also because you actually enjoy the furtiveness of the occasion. To you, it lends glamour and excitement to the affair, but the fact that you feel impelled to seek another's approval of your actions proves that somewhere your conscience is stirring. Heed it, and your parent's advice, before you find yourself in considerable trouble. It won't be long before someone you know sees you on one of these dates and passes the information on to your husband. Are you ready with a glib explanation when that contingency arises? Don't tempt fate with the necessity of making one. If you can't bring the gentleman home for dinner, end the friendship.

If your trouble is boredom, there's lots to occupy your time and attention in far safer territory. Offer your services to a children's hospital in town. There is a terrific need for volunteer help in these institutions. Little invalids must be fed and amused, busy nurses haven't much time for these special touches

and extra hands are a boon to all. Do try something like this to distract you from a course that is almost certain to end in trouble.

Dear Miss Dix: My husband likes to go out with his men friends, and whenever he comes home from bowling, or a card game, we have a fuss over it. I'm sorry about it later, but at the time I just can't help myself. We have no children and have just been married two years.

ALMA A.
Answer: I did some editing on your letter, which was one of the most childish epistles I have ever read. If you're old enough to be married, you should have enough sense to exercise some control over your emotions. Your husband's friends are also married, and their wives are undoubtedly available for companionship if you'd make the effort to meet them. Your petty lance would be hard to take in a child of six; in a married woman it's slightly sickening. Grow up!

Dear Miss Dix: My husband passed away a few years ago, leaving me with two small children, and an income that just about keeps us going. Several relatives and friends have suddenly become interested in me, making frequent calls to check on my welfare — always arriving at meal-time, I cannot afford to serve fine meals, and wish they would come in the evening. If this continues, I may have to break up my home.

D. M.
Answer: Since you know that these spongers come several times a week, why not prepare just exactly enough food for your own family of three. When the intruders arrive, expecting to be asked for supper, tell them you would like to have them stay, but, unfortunately, since the budget is low this week, you haven't enough food. Mere hints will never cure chronic free-loaders. If they were genuine well wishers they would be fully aware of your plight and would come bringing food, instead of taking the little you have.

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Democrats Expected to Act Soon

By JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON, (AP) — This rosy glow along the Potomac can't last forever. If they don't start acting up soon, the Democrats will begin to get self-conscious.

After all they have an election coming up in 1954. They have to make hay while they can.

So far they have been unusually quiet except for a few questions about American foreign policy, in the nature of "where are we going?"

This may be because they still suffer from astonishment at finding the Republicans running the government for the first time in 20 years and themselves in a minority in Congress.

But the fact is Congress, which returned on Jan. 3, has been in pretty much of a vacuum ever since, waiting for the new Eisenhower administration to get its feet on the ground and lining up legislation to work on.

Because Congress hasn't provided distraction, most eyes have been focused on the White House, wondering about the President's intentions.

But this is a situation which seems well on its way to be remedied. This week a Senate committee began investigating charges of communism in colleges and a House committee began to look for ways of changing the Taft-Hartley Law.

Pretty soon Washington ought to be alive with investigations, despite a GOP effort in the House to hold them down. This will take some of the attention away from Eisenhower who, because of lack of competing interest, has been living like a man in a goldfish bowl.

Except for his inaugural address and his State of the Union message Eisenhower has pretty much followed the buttoned-lip policy he

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adopted after the November elections. The message was generously applauded on both sides of the Capitol aisle. Eisenhower had handled the message carefully. It was a friendly document, calculated not to antagonize.

It would have ill become the Democrats to back away at Eisenhower's first message to the lawmakers, although they might very well have done so if he had left them many openings.

But since the message was rather an outline than a blueprint, it provided a minimum of material for conversation or controversy, except on its most sensational point. The decision to denaturalize Formosa.

It was probably deliberate on Eisenhower's part that the passage on Formosa raised more questions than it answered. He certainly wanted it to have that effect on the Reds, to keep them guessing. But it also, whether he intended it or not, raised questions in the minds of people in this country, particularly among Democrats in Congress. They began to ask: Where does this lead and what comes next?

If nothing comes next, the Democrats are sure to take out after him. And if he does produce a next step, and a next, they'll probably get back to normal by trying to throw their weight around.

But they're bound to get heated when his administration begins spelling out ABC the kind of legislation it expects to pass in Congress.

Nationalists May Get U. S. Jets Soon

WASHINGTON, (UP) — Informed sources indicated today that deliveries of American F-84 jet fighters to Chinese Nationalists on Formosa should begin fairly soon. It also was believed that Chiang Kai-Shek's Air Force will receive reconnaissance versions of the F-30 Shooting Star jet fighter.

Details on delivery dates, dollar value and types of military equipment are not made public.

Observers believed, however, that as much as \$500,000,000 may have been earmarked for military aid of all kinds to Formosa in fiscal 1952 and 1953. Appropriations for the Far East—Formosa, Philippines, Thailand and Indo-China—totalled \$1,076,100,000 in that period and the giant's share was for Indo-

Two Issues Strain GOP Relations

By WILLIAM F. ARBOGAST

WASHINGTON, (AP) — Two developments of the past week threaten to strain relations between the Senate and the House.

They are the refusal by senators to yield the chairmanship of the Senate-House Atomic Energy Committee to a House member, and a Senate bid to dig into the House's traditionally exclusive right to start money bills through Congress.

House leaders have indicated that they do not intend to bow to the Senate, even if it means leaving a Democrat as head of the Senate-House atomic committee.

They had expected Rep. Sterling Cole (R-N.Y.) to become chairman of the committee by reason of seniority and rotation of the chairmanship between the Senate and the House. The last chairman was a senator, the late Brian McMahon (D-Conn.). Upon his death last July Rep. Durham (D-NC) vice chairman, became acting chairman.

Durham still is acting as chairman because the committee has been unable to agree on a new head now that the Republicans have taken over. Senators are backing Sen. Hickenlooper (R-Ia.) for the chairmanship and they are deadlocked with House members who insist Cole should get the job.

The committee was set up in the 80th Congress of 1947-48, with Hickenlooper as chairman. House members say the original intention was to rotate the chairmanship between the Senate and the House, and that they yielded the House right in 1949 to give the chair to McMahon, chief author of the Atomic Energy Act. He held it until his death.

Red Skelton in Hospital

HOLLYWOOD, (AP) — Red Skelton is hospitalized again, probably until the end of this week.

His physician said he is suffering from a virus infection and a severe case of neuritis.

The doctor said these troubles

China and Formosa.

Actual deliveries of military equipment of all types to Far East recipients as opposed to amounts on order or planned, amounted to \$538,000,000 for the 29 months ending last Nov. 30, the latest date for which figures are available.

The Negro Community

By Helen Turner

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The Golden Five of Haynesville, La., will give a musical program at New Bethel Baptist Church Sunday, March 1, at 2 p.m., sponsored by Mrs. Mary Stuart. Dinner will be served on the ground.

Funeral services for Mrs. Madie Jeffers were held Thursday, Feb. 12, at the Methodist Church in Murfreesboro.

The American Legion pre-Valentine dance has been postponed until a later date.

Paul Sutton, Ishah and Woodrow Stuart have returned to their home in Oakland, Calif., after having attended the funeral of Rev. Andrew Sutton. They also visited with friends and relatives.

Club Meet

Anna M. P. Strong Federated Club met in its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. V. Rutherford, Friday evening, with Mrs. M. L. Bazelle, president presiding.

During the business session, the chairman of the various committees made their reports. Initial plans were made for the annual Spring Fashion Revue to be sponsored by the club the first week in April.

The meeting was highlighted with the installation of officers for the ensuing year. Miss E. Mitchell presented the newly elected officers to Mrs. E. R. Lewis who conducted the impressive installation ceremony.

These installed are as follows:

Mrs. Neva Carmichael, president; Mrs. E. L. Hicks, vice-president; Mrs. G. W. Miller, secretary; Mrs. F. Buchanan, assistant secretary; Mrs. M. L. Rutherford, treasurer; Mrs. M. L. Bazelle, parliamentarian; Mrs. Ellen McCollum, chaplain; and Mrs. U. N. Coleman, reporter.

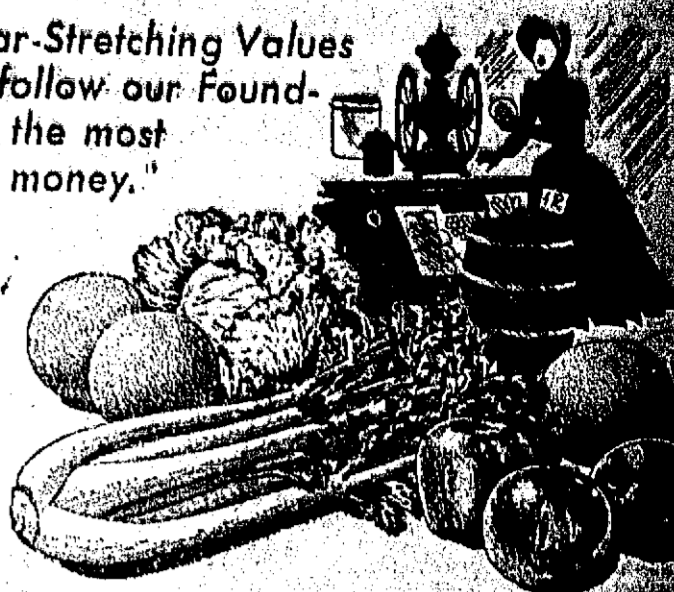
Following the business session, a delectable refreshment course was served by the hostess, Mrs. Bazelle and Mrs. Coleman were the recipients of two lovely gifts. Mrs. Carmichael was also the recipient of a lovely gift.

had no connection with the operation Skelton underwent in December for a diaphragmatic hernia.

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\$50,000 to U. S. Families in Floods

LANGEN, Germany (U-P)—The cost of rehabilitating American families stricken by last week's

floods in Britain has been estimated at \$50,000, the American Red Cross headquarters here reported today.

Robert K. Lewis, the organization's director of operations, said at least 16 Americans were killed

and 75 families were left homeless. All were members of the U. S. Air Force or of Air Force families.

Wolves did not become extinct in England until the latter part of the 19th Century.

Ignition Test at Magnolia Termed Good

MAGNOLIA (U-P)—Tests have been conducted near here on a new type automobile ignition system which its inventors claim eliminates the need for distributors and coils.

The secret tests were conducted yesterday on a jeep about 12 miles from here. The system was developed by the Heckethorn Manufacturing and Supply Co. of Littleton, Colo.

A company official, who asked that his name not be used, said the new system operates under extremely damp conditions and, because of its low amperage, doesn't damage parts.

He said because of this spark plugs last indefinitely. Electrical shocks received when handling the present system, are reduced to mere stings because of the decreased amperage, he said.

The tests were carried out during a driving rainstorm, the official said, and added that additional water was poured over the system and it still functioned.

Two officials of the company, D. E. Buchanan, president, and J. E. Heckethorn, research director, flew here Tuesday for the tests. Both men left yesterday immediately after the tests were completed and were unavailable for comment.

Newsman originally had been invited to attend the demonstrations, but later the invitation was retracted.

The reason for the search, the official said, was that licensing arrangements have not been completed.

Buchanan also is president of the Hivan Oil and Gas Co. which has holdings in this area.

Top Radio Programs

NEW YORK (U-P)—Thursday night: NBC — 7 Roy Rogers; 8 Truth or Consequences; 8:30 Eddie Cantor.

CBS — 7:30 On Stage; 8 Marlene Dietrich; 8:30 Jack Benny with Bing Crosby.

AHC — 7 Top Guy Drama; 7:30 Heritage Documentary; 8 Tales of Tomorrow.

MBE — 6 Fulton Lewis Jr.; 7 Detective Drama; 7:30 John Steele.

Friday: NBC — 10 a. m. Bob

Sees Nothing New in T-H Law Changes

WASHINGTON (U-P)—Rep. McConnell (R-Pa.) sees "nothing new," he said today, in the CIO's proposed changes for the Taft-Hartley labor law.

The chairman of the House Labor Committee made his comment after examining a list of the CIO Executive Board's criticisms of the 1947 Labor-Management Act.

Hope . . . CBS — 10:30 a. m. Grand Slam. . . ABC — 8 a. m. Breakfast Club. . . MBS — 8:15 a. m. Cliff's Family.

"I am hoping someone will come up with some original, creative thinking about the labor problems confronting the nation," McConnell told newsmen.

The CIO suggested yesterday the elimination of provisions which give the President the right to seek an 80-day court injunction to delay strikes that create national emergencies.

Other CIO proposals are for: Cutting down government intervention in collective bargaining procedures; removal of bans against closed-shop agreements and other union security provisions; simplification of technicalities, along with the dropping of the requirement for union officers to sign non-Communist oaths before they can use National Labor Relations Board machinery, and speeding up NLRB actions.

The CIO said it still is in favor of outright repeal of the T-H Act but, under present circumstances, will go along with move to change it.

McConnell said CIO spokesmen are slated to join other union and management groups to present their views to the committee in March.

The committee next week will resume hearing members of Congress who are sponsoring particular bills calling for changes in the labor law.

APPEAL TO RUSSIA

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (U-P)—Top officers of the United Jewish Appeal urged Russia in a statement today to allow its Jewish population to emigrate to Israel.

Groundhogs are marmos.

Lightning Blamed for Pan-Am Fire

EL DORADO (U-P)—A bolt of lightning was blamed today for a fire which destroyed 3,000 gallons of crude oil at the Pan-Am Southern Corp. pumping station at Schuler.

Fire, which also damaged some expensive oil field equipment, broke out yesterday during a heavy electrical storm. Three storage tanks, containing the oil, were burned.

Earlier, a lightning bolt damaged the home here of Jack McKenna, a Lion Oil Co. safety engineer. McKenna's radio and house wiring system were also damaged.

X-rays were discovered in Germany in 1895.

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98¢ Value 49¢ Chlorophyll Tooth Paste "Clean-Green" won't stain! Save 49¢ **2 for 69¢**

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- All Colors!
- Big Selection!

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Another Dry Hole for Dick Burnett

STEPHENS — Dick Burnett and his oil drilling team of big league baseball managers hit another dry hole near here at the E. Gosden No. 1 in Sec. 36-15-19 Ouachita County.

The well was abandoned at \$600 feet.

Checkings of the formations had been favorable and gave prospects of being some kind of an oil producer but the well turned out to be

a duster. It is located about four miles from here.

Two more producers have been added to the new Hogg Sand pool 29-15-19, Ouachita County.

Saturday McAlester Fuel Co. brought in the J. F. Morgan B-1 at 3,162 to 3,169 feet for a flowing well from the Hogg formation.

Sunday C. G. Davis and Pan-Am Southern brought in the H.L. Curry No. 1 at the same formation and depth.

No report of production was made from either well, but both wells are expected to make the

Fair Enough

By Westbrook Pegler
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During the season when christendom celebrates the Nativity of Christ I received from Switzerland three copies of the front cover of a French movie magazine called "Cine Revue", entirely occupied by a pensive, or rather let us say, worried, portrait of Charlie Chaplin. The title of this work of art was: "Charlie Chaplin: Reincarnation of Jesus Christ?"

In view of Chaplin's notoriety as a rake with a preference for young girls, of the awful allegations on file in the divorce suit of Lita Grey, one of his numerous child brides, and of his implication in Communist affairs, I took it that the person who mailed these copies back to the United States had meant to commit sacrilege. Hedda Hopper, of Hollywood, also received a copy, which she sent along to me. Each of them was accompanied by a memorandum bearing the scrawled name of a man who is known to be an old

friend and sometime press-agent of Charlie Chaplin.

"With compliments," the greeting said.

Chaplin's latest picture, "Limelight", has laid an egg in the United States notwithstanding a highly professional, artificial ballyhoo premier in London, and a somewhat less clamorous debut in New York.

Through a resolution adopted by its executive committee last Oct. 11, the American Legion not only praised the department of Justice for its decision to investigate Chaplin's "eligibility" to return to the United States but urged the distributors of "Limelight" to withdraw the picture "until the issues are determined." James McGranery announced shortly before he left the office of attorney general his confident conviction that Chaplin could be kept out of the country for the rest of his life.

The distributors of "Limelight" are United Artists, an old company formed by Mary Pickford, Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., and Chaplin many years ago. It became moribund and recently has been revived by Robert Benjamin and Arthur Krim, New York lawyers of the firm of Phillips, Nizer, Benjamin and Krim.

James F. O'Neill, a past national commander of the legion and now its director of publications, wrote that about Oct. 20, Krim and Benjamin called on him at the New York office of the American Legion magazine to discuss the effect of this Legion resolution on their business interests. O'Neill

says they told him they had 50 per cent of United Artists and that Miss Pickford and Chaplin each had 25 per cent. He said Krim and Benjamin told him they stood to obtain full control of U. A., and said they were stuck with "Limelight" and had to show it. O'Neill explained that Legion posts had full autonomy in boycott matters and that some of them were discussing proposals to picket "Limelight", adding that if U. A. ignored the resolution "they might have to anticipate trouble."

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ROYAL VISITOR — Princess Margaretha of Denmark, above, boards the boat train at London's Waterloo station, en route to the Queen Mary, on which she is sailing for the U. S.

House committee's report were the same man.

Mr. O'Neill said Krim and Benjamin had contracted to distribute "Encounter" but had told him they had decided not to try to distribute this one in the United States. O'Neill said there were five "wrong ones" in "Encounter."

One of the most prominent movie producers in the industry has been making quiet overtures to produce a picture that has been enjoyed by the late John, or John Garfield, and a long roster of brothers and sisters who had fun and made a lot of money being Red until the tide turned.

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Visiting Around Arkansas BY JOE MARSH



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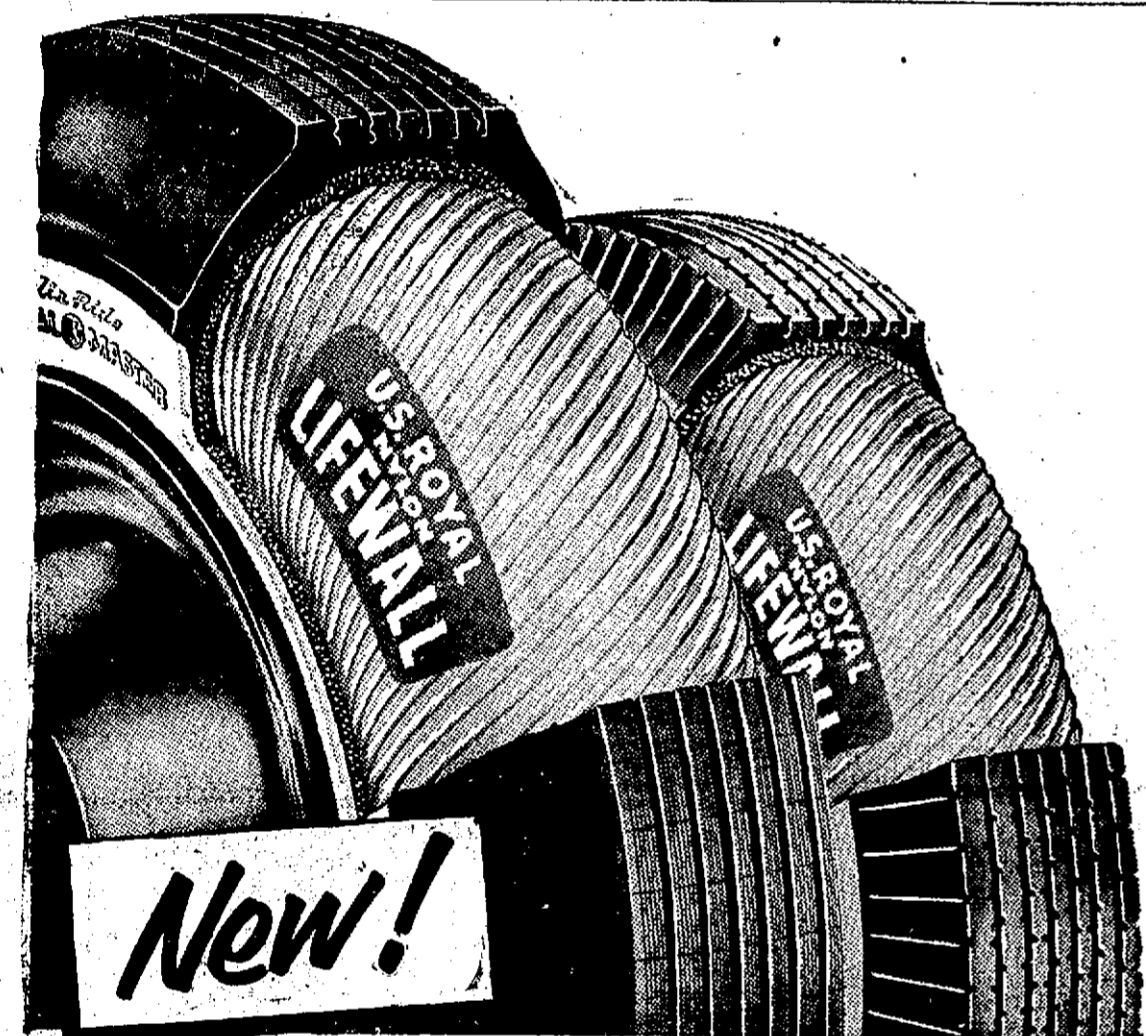
Advertising Week will be observed February 15-21 with the Advertising Club of Little Rock taking the lead. Little Rock civic clubs will hear about "Truth in Advertising" all that week. And on February 20, advertising men from all over Arkansas are being invited to an Ad Club-Little Rock Chamber of Commerce meeting to hear a national figure speak on advertising and why it must tell the truth.

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Joe Marsh

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By Chick Young

OSARK IRE



By Ray Goff

Lincoln's Birthday

HORIZONTAL

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GARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



SIDE GLANCES

By Gelbreith



OUT OUR WAY

By J. R. Williams



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

With Major Hoople



FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



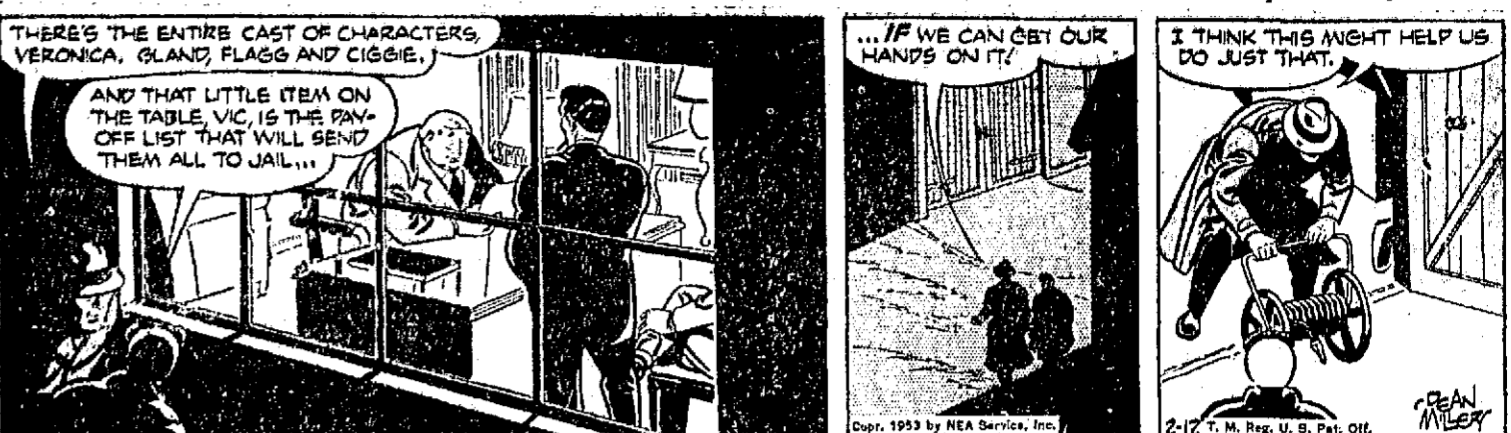
FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

By Blosser



VIC FLINT

By Michael O'Malley and Ralph Lane



WASH TURBS

By Leslie Turner



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

By Edgar Martin

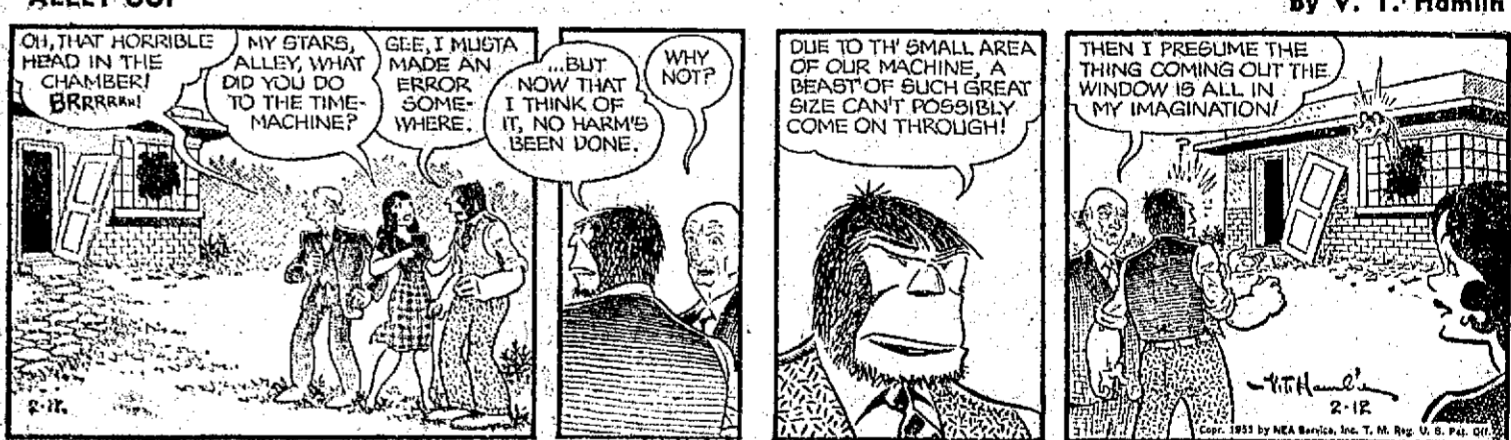


BUGS BUNNY



ALLEY OOP

By V. T. Hamlin



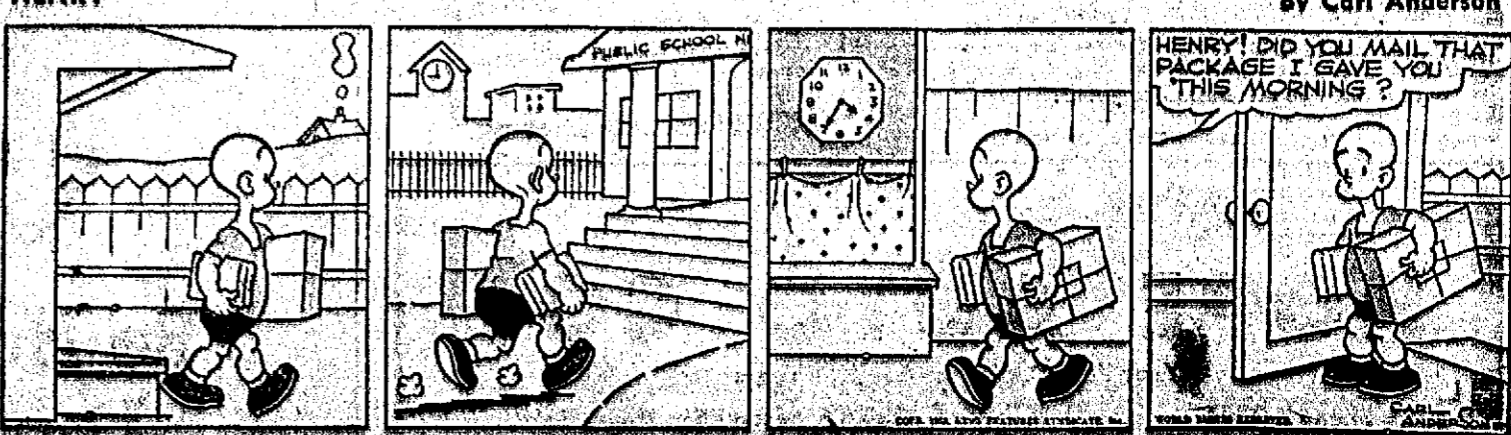
CHRIS WELKIN, Planeteer

By Russ Winterbotham



HENRY

By Carl Anderson



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One large rack of these. All sizes and all have
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One large group of these prints
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Small size, 4 napkins and cloth.
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These are regular values
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WINS M. D. "OSCAR"—Dr. Paul Dudley White, above, of Boston, is the winner of the first medical "Oscar" award in heart disease. Internationally renowned Dr. White received the Albert Lasker Award for "distinguished achievement" in the field of cardiovascular diseases.



(M—For Mutual Network)

Thursday
5:00 Sgt. Preston of the Yukon M
5:30 Sky King — M
5:55 Headline News — M
6:00 Supper Club
6:15 Evening News
6:25 Local Linelight
6:30 Gabriel Heatter — M
6:45 Newsreel
6:55 Titus Moody — M
7:00 Official Detective — M
7:30 John Steel Adventurer — M
8:00 Bill Henry News — M
8:05 Rod & Gun Club — M
8:30 On & Off The Record — M
9:00 Frank Edwards News — M
9:15 Hank Thompson — M
9:30 Dulles European Report — M
9:45 Jimmy Dorsey Orchestra M
10:00 KXAR News
10:15 Platter Parade
10:55 Mutual News — M
11:00 Sign Off

Friday
5:57 Sign On
6:00 Rhythm Round-up
6:15 News & Markets
6:30 Alarm Clock Club
7:00 Western Round-up
7:15 Alarm Clock Club
7:25 Morning Sports
7:30 Breakfast News
7:35 Calendar of Events
7:45 Morning Devotional
8:00 Robert Hurligh News — M
8:15 Anniversary Club
8:30 Musical Varieties
8:55 Gabriel Heatter — M
9:00 Heroes To Veterans
9:15 Listen Ladies
9:30 Headline News — M
9:35 Organ Reflections
9:45 Strength For The Day
10:00 Ladies Fair — M
10:25 Headline News — M
10:30 Queen For A Day — M
11:00 Carl Massey Time — M
11:15 Capital Commentary — M
11:25 Hillbilly Spotlight
11:30 Farm News
11:40 Church Calendar
11:45 Hymns of All Churches
12:00 KXAR Noon News
12:15 Western Hit-Parade
12:30 Kex-Ar-Korral
12:45 Blackwood Brothers
1:00 Bible Lesson
1:15 Music For You
1:25 Headline News — M
1:30 Mac McGuire Show — M
1:45 Mutual Music Box — M
2:00 John B. Gambling Club
2:30 Western Matinee
2:45 Musical Spelling Bee
3:00 Jack Kirkwood Show — M
3:30 Lazy-U-Ranch — M
4:00 Arkansas News
4:05 Tops In Pops
4:30 Country Boy
5:00 Song of the B-Bar-B — M
5:30 Wild Bill Hickok — M
5:55 Headline News — M
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7:00 Movie Quiz — M
7:30 True Or False — M
8:00 Beat, DeQueen Basketball
9:30 Dance Orchestra — M
9:45 America On March
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Basketball

By The Associated Press
Seton Hall 62; Siena 49
Princeton 59; Cornell 50
Harvard 50; Dartmouth 40
Colgate 70; Army 74
Auburn 72; Mississippi 65
Navy 65; Penn 60
Holy Cross 77; Hamline 60
N. C. State 64; Villanova 72
Notre Dame 73; Louisville 62
Detroit 72; Loyola (New Orleans) 5

Southern Illinois 59; Washington (St. Louis) 51
University of Chicago 65; Illinois Navy Pier 52
St. Benedict's 57; Rockhurst 53

The West Indies are often called the Antilles.

The Reluctant Cinderella

by JENNIFER AMES

SEXURIS
Feltton's Department Store of London, England, is about to issue its annual "Oscar" award, comprising an exclusive job at Appleton's smart New York shop and a trip to Palm Beach, Fla. in season. When Miss Carol Marston of sportswear is summoned to the office of the manager, Mr. Donald Haskin, she is naturally excited. Her thoughts fly to lovely Jason Haskin who had been managing the store but who had been fired from that job following the death of his elderly uncle, founder of this business. Informed by Mr. Haskin that she has been voted winner of the Feltton Award, Carol of course is pleased. Mrs. Thelma Feltton, pretty young widow of the senior Feltton, arrives to congratulate Carol. Thelma now owns the Feltton Store, having inherited it under her late husband's will. The handsome American bachelor, Derek Appleton, also joins the group. Abroad the Queen Mary she will accompany "the winner" as that she, too, will go along on the journey.

CHAPTER FOUR
THELMA must have caught the undercurrent between Haskin and Appleton, for she turned towards him and said almost accusingly, "Don't you think it's marvelous that Mr. Appleton has consented to present the Award? After all, he'll be looking after Miss Marston once she gets to the United States." She laughed again. "I really envy her. I'd love to get away myself. I adore Florida. I spent some time there—once." She paused slightly on the word, and Carol thought the expression on her face changed a little. There was a look, a rather strange look. Carol couldn't discern whether it was reminiscence, nostalgia or fear.

"But why not come, Mrs. Feltton?" Derek said, with the same warm, sincere smile. "I can think of nothing more agreeable. Appleton's would be tickled pink to have you visit them, and from my own personal point of view it would be swell."

"I might take you up on that, Mr. Appleton," Thelma said slowly. "Well, now," he said, "why don't we arrange it at once? I have a certain pull. I'm sure I could still get you a suite on the Queen Mary."

She gave a small gasp. "But it's such short notice!"

Donald Haskin cut in decisively: "Of course, it's too short notice. Besides, there are other factors that make the idea out of the question, Mrs. Feltton. There's this new merger coming up, and we shall need you here to sign the papers. Besides, you know how difficult it would be to get an adequate allowance from the British Treasury for such a trip."

"Don't worry about that, Appleton's would be delighted to guarantee all of Mrs. Feltton's expenses while she was visiting in the States," the American said. He smiled again. "It would be good business, besides being a pleasure where we were concerned."

Carol was still standing in the background. She didn't feel neglected; she was too absorbed. More than ever she was conscious of an undercurrent, a clash of wills between Donald Haskin and the Young Big Boss. At that moment Thelma remembered her, turned towards her with a bright smile.

and said, "But I haven't introduced you to Mr. Appleton yet, have I, Miss Marston?" She made the introductions, adding, "Miss Marston is our lucky winner. She's from Sportswear."

The young man shook her hand. Carol was very conscious of his grey eyes looking her over. She decided that despite his charm and ease of manner he was no one's fool.

"Delighted to meet you, Miss Marston. I know you've got just what we want. Has Mr. Haskin explained the schedule? I've booked you on the Queen Mary for Saturday week. You'll have a few days in New York and then you'll fly down to Palm Beach. We open our shop there just before the season, which begins in February. I think you'll like working there. Palm Beach is smart and fun, and if you want glamour it's there, and on. You can probably," he smiled, glanced through the window at the persistent rain, "use a little sunshine."

"I'm sure I shall enjoy it," Carol said conventionally.

"Have you any friends there?" he asked.

"The girl who won the Award two years ago is married and they live in Florida. Julie Gallet. She was Julie Moore then."

He drew his brows together in a slight frown. "Gallet. I remember. He's been mixed up in some rather shady gambling business lately. They had him before a commission, but he got off. Men with his money usually do get off."

His voice had shortened. He went on, the warm, friendly smile returning. "But you'll soon make plenty of other friends, and we try to arrange a schedule so that our girls get time for bathing and sun-bathing every day. And of course the evenings are their own. Palm Beach, in the season, is very gay."

Donald Haskin interrupted rather shortly: "I'm sure Miss Marston is wanting to get back to her job. If you'll excuse her."

"But Miss Marston won't want to get back on the job today!" Thelma said. "She'll want to glamorize herself." She turned toward Derek. "We must glamorize her, mustn't we, Mr. Appleton? She'll need a new model gown and a new hairdo... and lots of other things."

Carol felt suddenly like a mouse—and an undistinguished mouse, at that. It made her mad. "I have an evening gown, Mrs. Feltton, and I'm booked all day with appointments. I'm afraid I shall have time to have my hair done."

Thelma looked at her with surprise. She wasn't used to having her suggestions set aside by any of the staff.

"But since you'll be sailing so soon, someone else can take care of your appointments, Miss Marston." She looked back towards Don. "Who will be taking Miss Marston's place while she's away?"

He glanced down at a memo on his desk. "Miss Murphy will be relieving Miss Marston," he said.

I knew it, Carol thought dis-

gustedly. Almost I wish I weren't going. Supposing I say I don't want to accept the Award?

The idea amused her. To the employees at Feltton it would be like telling Saint Peter you didn't want to pass through the Pearly Gates into Heaven. And then she saw Derek's eyes smiling at her in a way which she felt definitely implied a compliment. It was as though he were saying, "Bravo! I like your spirit." She felt better. She felt curiously elated.

"Then Miss Murphy can take your appointments for the day," Thelma said decisively. "I'll see Miss Wilcox of Model Gowns and I'll personally select just the right gown for you to wear tonight—and tell Miss Rita in the hair-dressing shop I sent you personally. She'll do something really big for you." She smiled at Carol as though the matter were settled. Then she turned back towards Derek and her smile was much more charming. "You haven't forgotten we're meeting Sir Hugh and Lady Preston at the Ritz."

"Of course I haven't forgotten, Mrs. Feltton. How could I?" he said warmly.

Carol happened to glance at Don's face at that moment and she found herself faintly shocked. His usual genial smile was a mask, his dark eyes were smouldering and angry. Again she felt that Donald Haskin wouldn't be a pleasant man to cross. She was conscious of a curious atmosphere in that office, an atmosphere she didn't like. It had an explosive, almost frightening quality.

That night, at the staff party, Carol stood in the receiving line with Mrs. Feltton. She was between Derek and Donald Haskin. She felt more embarrassed and self-conscious than in the gown Mrs. Feltton had selected for her. The blushing tulle skirt was frilled, the low-cut tulle bodice was shaped like the petals of a rose, but the color was pink, and Carol, whose light-brown hair inclined to red, didn't like herself in pink. Miss Rita had set her hair in a style she didn't particularly care for, either. Carol's hair waved naturally and usually she washed it under the shower and just combed it forwards, but tonight it was set in deep waves and back from her face.

But it wasn't only her new appearance that was upsetting Carol; it was the changed attitude of certain of her fellow employees. They had all congratulated her, and with the younger members of the staff she'd felt that their congratulations were sincere, but with some of the others, those who felt they should have won the Award themselves, she'd been aware of barely hidden antagonism. She should have been amused, she told herself, but she'd been hurt, and what was especially hurtful was the feeling that she no longer was one of them. In a few minutes after the announcement, she had felt isolated.

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Ozark Girl Wins \$1,000 Lion Prize

EL DORADO — Martha Rose Burrow, 18, a third generation member of a family of pioneer newspaper publishers, has won a double meaning for me



Martha Burrow

Martha is a member of a newspaper family, the time is soon when I shall begin to fulfill obligations that go with this freedom," she won a first prize \$1,000 college scholarship in the second Lion Oil Scholarship essay contest of the current school year.

Martha is a tenth grade student at Ozark High School, Ozark, Ark., according to G. R. Olson, director of the fund. Her essay, "What Freedom Of The Press Means to Me," was chosen as the best of essays entered in a contest zone embracing Arkansas and portions of Oklahoma and Missouri.

Additional students in the zone were adjudged Merit Award winners and they and their teachers will each receive a cash award.

Martha is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Burrow, 700 Second Street, Ozark. Her father, assisted by two of her aunts, publishes the family newspaper, "The Spectator," a weekly which was founded by her grandparents.

Martha's grandfather, L. L. Burrow, was the founder of Hendricks, Ark., and served as mayor and president. The young winner plans to enter some of the newspaper work when she begins her education.

Martha is benefited by news including their friends for her alone would be power," she wrote in her winning essay. "Someday I will take my place in that country."

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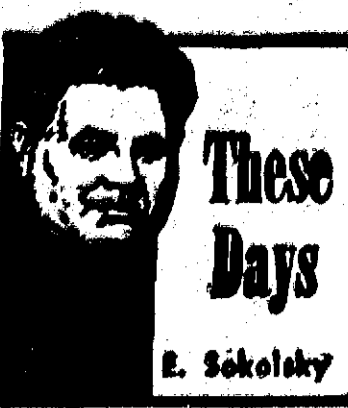
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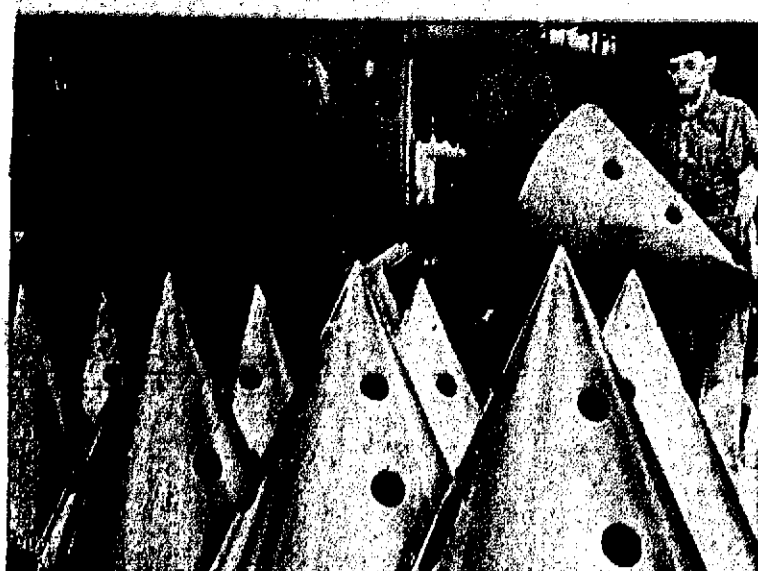
THE TAFT-HARTLEY LAW

Labor problems have become increasingly more complicated since the introduction of Fascistic methods in the NRA. The subsequent National Labor Relations Law (the Wagner Act) made the Government of the United States the final arbiter as to which labor union has authority in a particular industry or even in a plant. The Taft-Hartley Law continues this process, thus giving to a designated private organization a government recognized monopoly over the control of labor unions.

The labor union is now an entrenched organization, functioning through contracts with employers which can be upheld in the courts. Attacks on individual labor leaders, the exposure of their corruption, will not lessen the strength of the labor union because the millions of workers and a large number of industrialists prefer that the labor union should exist.

The Taft-Hartley Law, acknowledged this fact and recognized the high school and elementary school teachers to obtain advanced education. The second contest of this series was opened on December 1 with the topic "Why My Profession Is Important To The Future Of The South." Entries will close on March 1.

In the "Freedom of the Press" essay contest a merit award went to Nell Cassidy, 302 East Avenue B, Hope, local high school student. She was sponsored by Mrs. Joe Amour, English instructor.



WITCHES' HAT FACTORY?—Although the weird-looking cones that the machinist, above, is turning out are for use "out of this world," they won't adorn fashion-wise sorceresses come next Halloween. The cone-shaped objects are tail assemblies designed to control emission of exhaust gases from a new jet engine, and are being manufactured by Firestone Steel Products Company, at Akron, Ohio.

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General Says Push Needs Manpower

SEOUL, Korea (UP) — United Nations airpower must be strengthened sharply if allied group troops launch a major offensive to form a new battleline at Korea's narrow waist, the commander of the 5th Air Force said today.

Lt. Gen. Glenn O. Barcus told the United Press that despite some popular "armchair theories," it would not be "simple" to hold a line north of Pyongyang once U.N. armies reached their goal.

The white-haired general listed a string of key air problems in addition to the difficulties that infantrymen would face if such an offensive were launched.

1 — "Ground forces would be much more vulnerable to air attack from Manchurian bases across the Yalu river."

2 — "The Reds would have a simplified supply situation and would be able to store troops and supplies close behind the line, yet within attack-free Red China."

3 — "Allied air bases would be more liable to attack from across the Yalu."

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Another 'Most Wanted' Jailed

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Addition of Joseph Brletic's name to the FBI list of its 10 most wanted men brought about his arrest yesterday in the nearby desert town of Lancaster.

He had been working as a bowling alley pinsetter under the name of Jimmy Rizzo.

Sheriff's officers nabbed him after a tip from a newspaper reader who had seen an FBI announcement of his record, accompanied by a picture.

The FBI said Brletic, 25, had been a fugitive from robbery charges since he broke out of the county jail at Calyton, Mo., Sept. 6, 1948. A native of Wilmerding, Pa., he had a previous record of arrests for robberies, holdups, auto thefts and rape.

my-held Korea would cut down our scanty supply of targets."

"If you hoped to give the same iron-clad air cover to ground troops there that we give them now, it would take a greatly-increased Air Force," Barcus said.

An Allied line across the waist would at some points be less than an 11-minute flight by Red jets from their Manchurian bases, he said.

"We could establish temporary bases in a matter of days," Barcus said "but it would be very tempting for the Communists to throw more of their air force into action."

Barcus refused to comment on the possibility that a major offensive would require the U. N. to carry the air war into Manchuria. "It would make life extremely interesting," he said.

Ozark, Ark. Girl Wins \$1,000 Lion Oil Scholarship

14 Arkansas Students, Texas Boy, Receive Cash Awards in Zone "A"

When the University of Arkansas welcomes new students in the fall of 1955, one of the happiest freshmen will be Martha Rose Burrow of Ozark, Ark. For Martha, a sophomore at Ozark High School, has just won a \$1,000 Lion Oil Scholarship to the college of her choice. The scholarship is one of three awarded in the Lion Oil Student Essay contest just concluded.

Forty-five other high school students in three zones will each receive \$25 merit awards for outstanding entries on "What Freedom of the Press Means to Me." Students compete only against contestants from their own zone.

Since the Lion Oil Scholarship Program began in 1950, 442 prizes with a value of \$49,900 have been awarded to Southern students and teachers. It's Lion Oil Company's way of showing faith in the South and its future.

Merit Award Winners—Zone "A"

STUDENT	SCHOOL	TEACHER-SPONSOR
BARBARA BALTZ	St. Paul High School, Ponchartraine	Sister M. Agnes
SHIRLEY BOUNDS	Fort Smith Senior High School, Fort Smith	Miss Hazel Presson
WILL CASSIDY	Hope High School, Hope	Mrs. Joe Amour
AGNES CLAUGHORN	Bryant High School, Bryant	Mrs. Altie J. Carter
ROBERT FINCH	Fort Smith Senior High School, Fort Smith	Miss Hazel Presson
ROBERT S. HILL	North Little Rock Senior High, North Little Rock	Miss Kaye Lou Russell
BYRON LINDSEY	Hooks High School, Hooks, Texas	Mrs. Jack Hill
IRMA LOVE	DeQueen High School, DeQueen	Mrs. L. C. Graves
CHARLES M. MASTERS	Plumerville High School, Plumerville	Mrs. Reba McClaren
BUTHA PHELPS	Hardy High School, Hardy	Mrs. John H. White
BITTY MAN PROFFIT	Norfolk High School, Norfolk	Mrs. Dudley Huckabee
JANE BYAN	Holy Angels Convent, Jonesboro	Sister Mary Eymard
CYNTHIA STILL	Arkadelphia High School, Arkadelphia	Mrs. Qils Whaley
MARY JANE TURNER	Conway High School, Conway	Mrs. Guy Dean
SUZANNE VICK	England High School, England	Miss Alice Shaw Helms

Tennessee Girl, Mississippi Boy Win in Zones "B" and "C"

Anne Dare Brown, 17, is a senior at Springfield High School, Springfield, Tenn. Anne's interests include journalism, dramatics and music. She plans to use her \$1,000 scholarship at the University of Texas in Austin.

Howard A. Nelson, Jr., 17, is a senior at Greenwood High School, Greenwood, Miss. Howard likes outdoor motorboating, photography, and science. He expects to study medicine at Tulane University in New Orleans.

Judges of the contest were: Dr. J. D. Williams, Chancellor; Dr. Alton Bryant, chairman of the Department of English; and Dr. Samuel S. Talbert, associate professor of Journalism, all of the University of Mississippi.



Martha Rose Burrow, Zone "A" Winner

Winner Wants To Be a Journalist... For three generations, the family of Martha Rose Burrow has been closely linked with printer's ink...her grandparents having founded Ozark's weekly newspaper, "The Spectator." So it's small wonder that Martha wants to follow in their footsteps, or that "Freedom of the Press" should mean so much to her. Martha is an accomplished musician, playing flute in the school band and piano for the Presbyterian Sunday School.

Teacher-Sponsor Wins \$200... Miss Wilma King, Martha's teacher-sponsor, will receive \$200 in cash for encouraging the Zone "A" Major Award winner. English-teacher King joins Principal Bentley F. Stracener of Ozark High in commendation of Lion Oil Scholarship Program. "It's marvelous—brings out the abilities of the students," she says.



STUDENTS! ENTER YOUR CURRENT LION OIL ESSAY CONTEST!

Your essay for the current contest, on "Why I Intend to Remain in the South," must be in the mail by midnight of February 15. On February 16, a new student essay contest opens. Your essay for this contest should be 500 words or less on the subject, "How Every Citizen Can Help Improve Education."

Start planning your entry now... you'll have a chance at a \$1,000 scholarship or

a \$25 Lion Oil Merit Award. Remember, it's your ideas that count most!

You are eligible for these contests if you attend high school in any county where Lion petroleum products are sold at the Sign of the Lion. The new three-zone plan with 16 prizes per zone (see rules booklet) increases your chance to win. Get details from your principal or write to Lion Oil Scholarship Fund, El Dorado, Ark.

TEACHERS! YOUR CURRENT CONTEST CLOSES MARCH 1!

If you haven't yet begun your entry on "Why My Profession is Important to the Future of the South"—don't delay any longer! For you might easily be one of the three winners to receive full-expense, graduate scholarships worth \$1,200 each to any university or college you select. Well worth trying for, isn't it? See that your essay of 1500 words or less is in the mail before midnight of March 1. You

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